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## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Health Care recommends the following pass: SB 702 with 2 amendments, SB 1060 with 2 amendments

**The bills were referred to the Committee on Education under the original reference.**

The Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations recommends the following pass: CS for SB 626

**The bill was referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Appropriations under the original reference.**

The Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations recommends the following pass: SB 550

**The bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means under the original reference.**

The Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations recommends the following pass: SB 554 with 3 amendments

**The bill was placed on the calendar.**

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 192

**The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Services under the original reference.**

The Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1244

**The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Communications and Public Utilities under the original reference.**

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 492

**The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original reference.**

The Committee on Health Care recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 118

**The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations under the original reference.**

The Committee on Health Care recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1472

**The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services Appropriations under the original reference.**

The Committee on Health Care recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 366, SB 690

**The bills with committee substitutes attached were placed on the calendar.**

## INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

### FIRST READING

By Senator Bullard—

**SB 1718**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Crisis Intervention Team program; providing for adoption of the program as a pilot program; directing the Louis de la Parte Florida Mental Health Institute at the University of South Florida to conduct a study of the Crisis Intervention Team (C.I.T.) program; providing the purpose of the study; providing for a report; providing for funding; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Children and Families; and Justice Appropriations.

By Senator Haridopolos—

**SB 1720**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to an exemption from the tax on sales, use, and other transactions; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting certain educational materials from the tax; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Ways and Means.

By Senator Fasano—

**SB 1722**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to multiservice senior centers; creating s. 430.901, F.S.; providing a definition and purposes of a "multiservice senior center"; renumbering and amending s. 430.206, F.S.; providing for certain accreditation; amending s. 430.203, F.S.; repealing a definition of "multiservice senior center," to conform; amending s. 430.205, F.S.; providing that activities of a community care service area may be directed from a multiservice senior center as defined in s. 430.901, F.S.; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children and Families; and Health Care.

By Senators Wilson and Rich—

**SB 1724**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to providing discounted computers to low-income students; creating a program for this purpose; providing eligibility requirements for receiving a discounted price on a computer; requiring the Department of Education to negotiate terms with a computer manufacturer; requiring the department to adopt rules, including rules relating to providing technical training to the students; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Education Appropriations; and Ways and Means.

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By Senator Wilson—

**SB 1726**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the social status of black men and boys; creating the Council on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys; providing for the appointment and qualification of members; providing for the appointment of members to fill vacant positions; providing for terms of office; requiring the council to make a systematic study of conditions affecting black men and boys; requiring the Office of the Attorney General to provide administrative support; requiring the council to submit an annual report to the Governor and Legislature; providing for reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses; requiring the Attorney General to organize the initial meeting of the council; providing for the expiration of the council; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children and Families; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Justice Appropriations; and Ways and Means.

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By Senator Campbell—

**SB 1728**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to sexual and career offenders; amending s. 775.21, F.S.; revising the definition of “institution of higher education” to include a career center; revising provisions relating to use of prior felonies for sexual predator determination; amending s. 775.261, F.S.; revising an operational date used for career offender registration; amending s. 943.0435, F.S.; revising language relating to the definition of “sexual offender”; revising the definition of “institution of higher education” to include a career center; revising a provision relating to offender driver’s license or identification card renewal; revising a reporting requirement for sexual offenders who vacate a permanent residence and fail to establish or maintain another permanent or temporary residence; amending s. 944.607, F.S.; revising language relating to the definition of “sexual offender”; revising the definition of “institution of higher education” to include a career center; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; and Judiciary.

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By Senator Dockery—

**SB 1730**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to environmental permitting programs; creating s. 373.4143, F.S.; providing legislative intent; creating s. 373.4144, F.S.; providing for the consolidation of federal and state wetland permitting programs; providing duties of the Department of Environmental Protection; requiring a report to the Legislature and coordination with the Florida Congressional Delegation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation; and General Government Appropriations.

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By Senator Saunders—

**SB 1732**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aerospace ad valorem taxes; creating s. 196.1999, F.S.; providing an exemption from ad valorem taxes for certain space laboratories; repealing s. 196.1994, F.S., which expired effective July 1, 2004, and which provided an exemption

from ad valorem taxes for certain space laboratories; providing for retroactivity; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Ways and Means.

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By Senators Rich and Hill—

**SB 1734**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to children’s health programs; amending s. 409.818, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to develop a plan for publicizing the Florida KidCare program; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt rules to comply with the Florida KidCare Act and federal requirements; amending s. 624.91, F.S.; revising the time period for penalties or waiting periods for reinstatement of coverage within the Florida Healthy Kids Corporation; deleting the requirement that the corporation develop a plan to publicize the Florida Healthy Kids Corporation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care; Banking and Insurance; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Ways and Means; and Rules and Calendar.

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By Senator Crist—

**SB 1736**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vehicular accidents involving death or personal injuries; providing a short title; amending s. 316.027, F.S.; requiring the court to sentence a driver of a vehicle to a minimum term of imprisonment if the person is driving under the influence and leaves the scene of an accident that results in death; requiring the court to order the driver of a vehicle to make restitution to the victim for any damage or loss if a driver leaves the scene of an accident that results in injury or death; requiring the court to make the payment of restitution a condition of probation; providing that an order requiring the defendant to make restitution to a victim does not remove or diminish the requirement that the court order payment to the Crimes Compensation Trust Fund; amending s. 316.193, F.S.; requiring that a person convicted of DUI manslaughter be sentenced to a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment; amending s. 921.0021, F.S.; requiring that victim-injury points be assessed against an offender convicted of leaving the scene of an accident that results in injury or death; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Justice Appropriations.

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By Senator Wise—

**SB 1738**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile detention; amending s. 985.03, F.S.; redefining the term “home detention” to mean detention that requires a parent, guardian, or custodian to supervise a child who is placed on home detention; deleting provisions making the Department of Juvenile Justice responsible for supervising a child who is placed on home detention; amending ss. 985.215 and 985.231, F.S.; providing that a child may be placed on home detention with or without electronic monitoring; amending s. 985.2311, F.S.; clarifying that the parent must pay the fees for the cost of care for a child placed on home detention; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Justice Appropriations.

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**Senate Resolutions 1740-1742**—Not referenced.

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By Senators Alexander, Geller, Aronberg, Crist and Bullard—

**SB 1744**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to workers’ compensation for first responders; amending s. 440.02, F.S.; revising and providing definitions; amending s. 440.09, F.S.; revising provisions relating to

compensation for occupational diseases and repetitive exposure to provide an exception for first responders; amending s. 440.091, F.S.; providing that certain conditions relating to smallpox vaccinations are an injury by accident arising out of the employment for purposes of ch. 440, F.S.; amending s. 440.093, F.S.; providing conditions for compensation for first responders for cases involving mental or nervous injuries; providing additional conditions for payment of indemnity benefits under ch. 440, F.S.; providing an exception with regard to determination of mental and nervous injuries; amending s. 440.15, F.S.; providing an additional exception with regard to compensation for permanent total disability; amending s. 440.151, F.S.; providing an exception with regard to compensation for occupational diseases; amending s. 440.34, F.S.; providing factors to be considered by a judge of compensation claims in awarding attorney's fees and costs in cases involving first responders; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Community Affairs; and General Government Appropriations.

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By Senator Wise—

**SB 1746**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement; amending s. 943.61, F.S.; revising the powers and duties of the Capitol Police; amending s. 943.611, F.S.; revising duties of the director of the Capitol Police; amending s. 943.62, F.S.; revising provisions relating to investigations by the Capitol Police; amending s. 943.64, F.S.; revising provisions relating to designation of other law enforcement officers as ex officio agents of the Capitol Police; amending s. 943.68, F.S.; revising provisions relating to transportation and protective services of the Capitol Police; amending s. 316.640, F.S.; revising provisions relating to enforcement of traffic laws; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Rules and Calendar.

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By the Committee on Agriculture—

**SB 1748**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to agricultural water conservation; requiring the water management districts to review permit-exemption programs and recommend additional permit exemptions that will encourage agricultural water conservation; requiring a report by the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to the appropriate legislative committees; amending s. 373.236, F.S.; authorizing the issuance of permits for agricultural production for a specified period for uses that incorporate agricultural water conservation measures and provide a net reduction in water use or replace a water supply source; amending s. 373.406, F.S.; providing that an exemption provided for activities having minimal adverse impact does not apply to certain environmental restoration or water quality improvement activities; amending s. 373.414, F.S.; authorizing the governing board of a water management district or the department to adopt criteria by rule for issuing permits for the use of wetlands for implementing agricultural water conservation measures; authorizing a water management district or the department to authorize, under a general permit, the on-site relocation or filling of isolated wetlands on agricultural lands under specified conditions; amending s. 373.2234, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Environmental Preservation; and General Government Appropriations.

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**SR 1750**—Not referenced.

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By Senator Bennett—

**SB 1752**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the East County Water Control District, Lee and Hendry Counties; amending chapter 2000-423, Laws of Florida; authorizing the district to sell, lease, or otherwise encumber surplus real property owned by the district; providing an exception; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

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**SR 1754**—Not referenced.

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By the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Services—

**SB 1756**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to early learning; amending s. 411.01, F.S.; requiring early learning coalitions to provide parents with profiles of school readiness providers; deleting authorization for coalitions to receive subsidized child care funds for all children eligible for certain federal programs; authorizing the Agency for Workforce Innovation to allow coalitions to pay a rate differential to providers under certain circumstances; revising eligibility criteria and priorities for participation in school readiness programs; conforming provisions; creating s. 411.0101, F.S.; authorizing early learning coalitions to establish school-age readiness services under certain circumstances; providing requirements for these services; establishing eligibility criteria and priorities for participation in school-age readiness services; limiting the use of school readiness funds for school-age readiness services; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 402.3145, F.S.; revising requirements for transportation services in school readiness programs; conforming provisions; authorizing contracts; deleting obsolete references to a repealed program; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 402.3017, F.S.; providing requirements for school readiness quality initiatives; revising requirements for the Teacher Education and Compensation Helps scholarship program; establishing requirements for the Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters Program; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 409.178, F.S.; revising requirements for the Child Care Executive Partnership Program; deleting a short title and legislative intent; revising requirements for family income; deleting obsolete references to a repealed program; requiring the Agency for Workforce Innovation to provide for staff; revising provisions for the administration of purchasing pools; providing for the adoption of rules; amending s. 411.0105, F.S.; revising federal lead agency responsibilities; requiring a contract; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 402.27, F.S.; revising provisions for the statewide resource and referral network; conforming provisions; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 402.3051, F.S.; revising definitions for purposes of child care market rate reimbursement; revising requirements for calculating the market rate and prevailing market rate; requiring the adoption of a prevailing market-rate schedule; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 402.3018, F.S.; providing for technical assistance to child care and early learning providers; conforming provisions; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 402.25, F.S.; revising requirements for activities to foster brain development in infants and toddlers in certain state-funded programs; conforming provisions; amending s. 411.011, F.S., conforming a cross-reference; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 402.3016, F.S.; revising provisions for Early Head Start collaboration grants; requiring the Agency for Workforce Innovation to submit a report; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Children and Families; Education; and Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations.

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By Senator Haridopolos—

**SB 1758**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to enterprise zones; creating s. 290.0073, F.S.; authorizing Indian River County, the City of Vero Beach, and the City of Sebastian to jointly apply to the Office of Tourism, Trade, and Economic Development for designation of an enterprise zone in Indian River County; providing requirements with respect thereto; requiring the office to establish the initial effective date of the enterprise zone; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations.

By Senator Geller—

**SB 1760**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to automated external defibrillators; amending s. 401.2915, F.S.; authorizing certain businesses to have automated external defibrillators on their premises; providing for training in the operation and maintenance thereof by the local emergency medical services provider at no cost to the business; providing immunity from civil liability; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; providing an exemption from the tax on sales, use, and other transactions for automated external defibrillators purchased by certain businesses; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care; Commerce and Consumer Services; Judiciary; and Government Efficiency Appropriations.

By Senator Geller—

**SB 1762**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drawbridges; requiring such bridges to be equipped with video cameras and monitors; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations.

By Senator Geller—

**SB 1764**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to periods of wartime service for veterans; amending s. 1.01, F.S.; redefining the term “veteran” for purposes of construing the Florida Statutes to include a person who served in the active military, naval, or air service in Operation Enduring Freedom or Operation Iraqi Freedom; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and General Government Appropriations.

By Senator Crist—

**SB 1766**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to administration of medication to public school students; creating s. 1006.0625, F.S.; defining the term “psychotropic medication”; prohibiting recipients of state funds used for educational purposes from requiring a student to be prescribed or administered psychotropic medication as a condition of receipt of educational services; providing requirements for administration; providing a restriction relating to the diagnosis or treatment of mental disorders; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; and Health Care.

By Senator Crist—

**SB 1768**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to online dating services; providing definitions; requiring criminal background checks before allowing a member of a dating service to perform certain acts; providing exceptions; requiring disclosures in certain circumstances; requiring each service to establish a policy concerning criminal background check results; providing minimum requirements for a policy; requiring opportunities for certain persons to review the policy; requiring a specified disclosure on the profile of a person having a criminal conviction; providing for civil actions for violations of the act; providing for damages, including specified liquidated damages, costs, and attorney’s fees; providing for actions by the Attorney General to enforce the act; providing specified immunity for the state; providing for criminal violations of the act; providing penalties; providing that specified acts by operators do not violate the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; and Criminal Justice.

By the Committee on Commerce and Consumer Services—

**SB 1770**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Enterprise Zone Act; amending s. 290.001, F.S.; revising the title of the act; amending s. 290.004, F.S.; deleting obsolete definitions; amending s. 290.0055, F.S.; revising procedures for counties or municipalities to nominate an area for designation as a new enterprise zone; deleting obsolete provisions; removing the authority for certain counties to nominate more than one enterprise zone; providing procedures for changing an enterprise zone boundary; amending s. 290.0056, F.S.; deleting the requirement that a governing body pass an ordinance to appoint the board of an enterprise zone development agency; revising requirements for making such appointments; deleting a requirement that a certificate of appointment of a board member be filed with the clerk of the county or municipality; deleting the requirement that an annual report by a board be published and available for inspection; providing additional responsibilities for an enterprise zone development agency; amending s. 290.0057, F.S.; requiring that an application for designation as a new enterprise zone contain an enterprise zone development plan; amending s. 290.0058, F.S.; updating obsolete references; revising requirements for determining poverty in an area nominated as a rural enterprise zone; providing an exception; amending s. 290.0065, F.S.; establishing the maximum number of enterprise zones allowed, subject to any new zones authorized by the Legislature; revising the procedure for designating a new enterprise zone, which procedure is only available if an existing zone is not redesignated; deleting a requirement that an application for designation as an enterprise zone be categorized by population; deleting obsolete provisions; providing a procedure for redesignating certain zones; providing a procedure for review and approval or denial of redesignation of an enterprise zone which takes into consideration past zone performance and the current need for enterprise zone incentives; providing for an approval procedure prohibiting an entity having jurisdiction over an area denied redesignation as an enterprise zone from reapplying for redesignation for 1 year; providing a redesignation procedure for zones authorized in conjunction with certain federal acts; providing requirements for an application for redesignation; deleting obsolete provisions; amending s. 290.0066, F.S.; providing that failure to make progress or failure to comply with measurable goals may be considered as grounds for revocation of an enterprise zone designation; amending s. 290.12, F.S.; providing a transition date that provides for a zone having an effective date on or before January 1, 2005, to continue to exist until December 21, 2005, and to expire on that date; requiring that any zone designated or redesignated after January 1, 2006, do so in accordance with the Florida Enterprise Zone Act; amending s. 290.016, F.S.; delaying the repeal of the the Florida Enterprise Zone Act; amending ss. 166.231, 193.077, 193.085, 195.073, 196.012, 205.022, 205.054, and 212.02, F.S.; extending an expiration date with respect to various tax exemptions; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; revising the procedures for applying for a tax exemption on building materials used to rehabilitate property; deleting a restriction on refund claims; extending the expiration date in order to conform to changes made by the act; lowering the purchase threshold for an exemption for the business property exemption from \$5,000 per unit to \$500 per item; extending the expiration date for the exemption; deleting obsolete provisions governing the community contribution tax credit for donations; extending the expiration date of the tax credit allowed for electrical energy used in an enterprise zone, to conform; amending s. 212.096, F.S.; revising the enterprise zone jobs tax credit against sales tax to allow for a new hire, not just a new job, to qualify for the credit; revising the requirements to qualify as an eligible business under the enterprise zone jobs tax credit; deleting obsolete provisions; redefining the term “jobs”; deleting a definition; extending the expiration date for the enterprise zone jobs tax credit, to conform; amending ss. 220.02 and 220.03, F.S.; extending the expiration date of the enterprise zone jobs tax credit against corporate income tax to conform to changes made by the act; revising definitions; amending s. 220.181, F.S.; revising the enterprise zone jobs tax credit against corporate income tax to allow for a new hire, not just a new job, to qualify for the credit; revising requirements for claiming the credit; extending the expiration date of the tax credit, to conform; amending s. 220.182, F.S.; extending the expiration date of the enterprise zone property tax credit; amending s. 370.28, F.S.; requiring that an enterprise zone in a community affected by net limitations which is redesignated after January 1, 2006, do so in accordance with the Florida Enterprise Zone Act; repealing ss. 290.00555, 290.0067, 290.00675, 290.00676, 290.00678, 290.00679, 290.0068, 290.00685, 290.00686, 290.00687, 290.00688, 290.00689, 290.0069, 290.00691, 290.00692, 290.00693, 290.00694, 290.00695, 290.00696, 290.00697, 290.00698, 290.00699, 290.00701, 290.00702, 290.00703, 290.00704,

290.00705, 290.00706, 290.00707, 290.00708, 290.00709, 290.009, and 290.015, F.S., relating to the designation of a satellite enterprise zone, an enterprise zone in Lake Apopka, a boundary amendment for the City of Brooksville in Hernando County, an amendment of certain rural enterprise zone boundaries, a designation of rural champion communities as enterprise zones, amendments to certain rural enterprise zone boundaries, the designation of a brownfield as an enterprise zone, an application to amend an enterprise zone containing a brownfield, the designation of enterprise zones in Brevard County and the City of Cocoa, the designation of an enterprise zone in Pensacola, the designation of an enterprise zone in Leon County, the designation of a pilot project in an enterprise zone, the designation of an enterprise zone in Liberty County, the designation of an enterprise zone in Columbia County and Lake City, the designation of an enterprise zone in Suwannee County and Live Oak, the designation of an enterprise zone in Gadsden County, the designation of an enterprise zone in Sarasota County and Sarasota, the designation of enterprise zones in Hernando County and Brooksville, the designation of an enterprise zone in Holmes County, the designation of an enterprise zone in Calhoun County, the designation of an enterprise zone in Okaloosa County, the designation of an enterprise zone in Hillsborough County, the designation of an enterprise zone in Escambia County, the designation of enterprise zones in Osceola County and the City of Cocoa, the designation of an enterprise zone in South Daytona, the designation of an enterprise zone in Lake Wales, the designation of an enterprise zone in Walton County, the designation of enterprise zones in Miami-Dade County and the City of West Miami, the designation of an enterprise zone in Hialeah, a boundary amendment in an enterprise zone within a consolidated government, a boundary amendment in an enterprise zone within an inland county, an enterprise zone coordinating council, and an evaluation and review of the enterprise zone program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Ways and Means.

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By Senator Baker—

**SB 1772**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement; creating the Sunshine Security Act; creating the Law Enforcement Agency Consolidation Task Force; providing for the appointment of members; providing for duties; providing for preliminary and final reports addressing the effects of the consolidation of all sworn law enforcement functions in the state; providing for future repeal; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Justice Appropriations.

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By Senator Rich—

**SB 1774**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Litter Law; amending s. 403.413, F.S.; increasing the fine for a noncriminal infraction of the Florida Litter Law from \$50 to \$200; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation; and Government Efficiency Appropriations.

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By Senator Clary—

**SB 1776**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the State Homeland Security Trust Fund; creating s. 288.833, F.S.; creating the State Homeland Security Trust Fund, to be administered by the Division of Emergency Management within the Department of Community Affairs; providing for sources of funds and purposes; providing for review of requests for funding; providing for annual carryforward of unused funds; providing for review and termination or re-creation of the trust fund; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Domestic Security; Judiciary; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Transportation—

**SB 1778**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Transportation; amending s. 20.23, F.S.; requiring the Florida Transportation Commission to examine the department's district boundaries as they relate to the strategic planning regions established in the state's strategic plan for economic development; requiring an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Commerce and Consumer Services.

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By Senator Smith—

**SB 1780**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to dealers in agricultural products; amending s. 604.15, F.S.; revising definitions; expanding the list of products covered by the law; defining the terms “negotiating broker” and “producer’s agent”; amending s. 604.16, F.S.; revising exceptions to provisions regulating dealers; amending s. 604.18, F.S., relating to applications for dealer licensure; requiring dealers to provide mailing and location address information; requiring dealers to provide certain information relating to the dollar amount of business done or to be done; amending s. 604.19, F.S.; providing requirements relating to cancellation of a bond or certificate of deposit; increasing license fees and delinquent renewal penalties; amending s. 604.20, F.S.; providing a calculation for the amount of a bond or certificate of deposit; adding requirements relating to bond or certificate of deposit assignment or agreement; authorizing the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to issue a conditional license under certain conditions; amending s. 604.21, F.S.; increasing the minimum claim amount and requiring a complaint filing fee; providing requirements for submission of a complaint and payment for multiple claims; authorizing a dealer in agricultural products to file a complaint against another dealer in agricultural products; limiting the time a complaint may be held in abeyance; authorizing review of a final order; clarifying distribution of bond or certificate of deposit proceeds; amending s. 604.22, F.S.; revising recordkeeping requirements of licensees; clarifying application of provisions; amending ss. 604.23 and 604.25, F.S.; clarifying application of provisions; amending s. 604.30, F.S.; clarifying that a violator of provisions regulating dealers in agricultural products may be a person, partnership, corporation, or other business entity; increasing the maximum administrative fine and the fine for continued violation of an administrative order; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Agriculture; Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; and General Government Appropriations.

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By Senator Clary—

**SB 1782**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program; amending s. 1009.531, F.S.; revising program requirements to exclude from eligibility any student who is enrolled full time in an early admission program of a postsecondary institution and who enters ninth grade in the 2005-2006 school year and thereafter; amending ss. 1007.27, 1007.271, and 1011.62, F.S., relating to articulated acceleration mechanisms, dual enrollment programs, and the calculation of full-time equivalent membership; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; and Education Appropriations.

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By Senator Clary—

**SB 1784**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to professional services acquisition; amending s. 287.055, F.S.; revising certain definitions; defining the term “negotiate”; providing additional criteria for processing bids to purchase professional services which exceed certain threshold amounts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and General Government Appropriations.

By Senator Geller—

**SB 1786**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to charter schools; amending s. 1002.33, F.S.; providing that the sponsor of a charter school shall not be liable for civil damages for certain actions; providing that the duty to monitor a charter school shall not be the basis for a private cause of action; expanding a school district's immunity from assumption of contractual debts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; and Judiciary.

By Senator Clary—

**SB 1788**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to travel to and commerce with terrorist nations; creating s. 288.857, F.S.; creating the "Travel To and Commerce With Terrorist Nations Act"; providing a popular name; providing legislative intent; providing definitions; providing for the levy of a security assessment on charter transportation for trips originating in this state and arriving in an identified terrorist nation; providing for the rate of the assessment; providing requirements and procedures with respect thereto; requiring any university or community college within the State University System or the Florida Community College System that organizes or directs the organization of a cultural or educational trip utilizing charter transportation to any terrorist nation to provide the Department of Education with specified information; providing standards for disqualification from participation in specific programs and services administered by the state for residents who engage in travel to terrorist nations; providing for the reallocation of state funds derived as a result of the denial or discontinuance of benefits from such programs; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to develop a terrorist travel disclosure form; providing for contents of the form; providing requirements with respect to completion and submission of such form; providing for an administrative processing assessment; providing for calculation and deposit of such assessment; requiring the department to create, operate, and maintain a database for the collection of information contained in such forms; providing for utilization of the database by state agencies; requiring the Department of Children and Family Services to monitor the database for specified compliance; requiring the Department of Children and Family Services to include a terrorist travel waiver form with specified applications for assistance; providing for contents of the form; providing for a state surcharge on the trade and shipment of cattle to any terrorist nation; providing for utilization of funds derived from the terrorist commerce surcharge; requiring a report; providing a fine for violation of the act; specifying exemptions to the act; providing for the adoption of rules; providing for the adoption of emergency rules; providing that emergency rules shall remain in effect for a specified period; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Domestic Security; Judiciary; Government Efficiency Appropriations; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations; and Ways and Means.

By the Committee on Judiciary—

**SB 1790**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to street lighting; creating s. 768.1382, F.S.; limiting liability for certain public and private entities providing street lights, security lights, or other similar illumination; providing that certain entities do not owe duty to the public to provide, operate, or maintain illumination; providing for exceptions; prohibiting certain findings of fault or responsibility of an entity not a party to litigation; providing for severability; providing for application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Communications and Public Utilities; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Hill—

**SB 1792**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida minimum wage; amending s. 95.11, F.S.; providing limitations on actions alleging violations of s. 24, Art. X of the State Constitution; creating s. 448.065,

F.S.; creating the Florida Minimum Wage Act; providing that the purpose of the act is to implement s. 24, Art. X of the State Constitution, which establishes a state minimum wage; requiring payment of the minimum wage to certain employees by a specified date; requiring the Agency for Workforce Innovation to annually calculate an adjusted state minimum wage; requiring that the agency and the Department of Revenue notify employers of the amount of the minimum wage; prohibiting an employer or other party from discriminating against a person who exercises rights protected under s. 24, Art. X of the State Constitution; authorizing a person to bring a civil action against an employer or person in violation of the act; providing for the recovery of unpaid back wages, liquidated damages, and attorney's fees and costs; providing for legal or equitable relief; authorizing the Attorney General to bring a civil action to enforce the act and seek injunctive relief; authorizing a fine; specifying the statute of limitations for actions brought under the act; authorizing class actions; providing that the act is the exclusive remedy available for a violation of s. 24, Art. X of the State Constitution; limiting the authority of the Agency for Workforce Innovation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Judiciary; Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations.

By Senator Klein—

**SB 1794**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to law enforcement; creating s. 943.1713, F.S.; requiring the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission to establish annual firearms qualification instruction standards for law enforcement officers; requiring agencies to report qualification results; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Justice Appropriations.

By Senator Atwater—

**SB 1796**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property tax administration; amending s. 195.0995, F.S.; providing that if the Department of Revenue finds that more than 10 percent of sales qualified or disqualified by a county do not fall within applicable criteria, the department shall issue a postaudit notification of defects instead of a review notice; amending s. 195.096, F.S.; revising the requirements placed on the department in its review of assessment rolls; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Government Efficiency Appropriations; and General Government Appropriations.

By Senator Atwater—

**SB 1798**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the corporate income tax; amending s. 220.03, F.S.; providing for the adoption of the 2005 version of the Internal Revenue Code; providing for retroactive operation; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance—

**SB 1800**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health maintenance organizations; amending s. 641.316, F.S.; redefining the term "fiscal intermediary services organization"; amending s. 641.234, F.S.; expanding the requirement that a health maintenance organization remains responsible for violations of certain statutory requirements if the organization transfers to any entity the obligations to pay any provider for claims arising from services to subscribers of the organization; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; and Health Care.

By Senator Campbell—

**SB 1802**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to capital collateral representation; amending s. 27.709, F.S.; providing for the Commission on Capital Cases to undertake certain projects and authorizing it to sponsor certain continuing legal education classes; amending s. 27.710, F.S.; revising provisions relating to continuing legal education requirements for attorneys on the registry of attorneys applying to represent persons in postconviction capital collateral proceedings; providing for the removal of appointed attorneys who fail to sign contracts or submit specified reports; requiring an appointed attorney who does not wish to continue representation at the federal level to make reasonable efforts to assist the client in finding replacement counsel; amending s. 27.711, F.S.; providing for payment of attorneys after a final hearing, rather than after a final order; providing for additional payments to attorneys; increasing the maximum number of inmates that may be represented by a capital collateral attorney; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Judiciary; and Justice Appropriations.

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By the Committee on Banking and Insurance—

**SB 1804**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the solvency of insurers; amending s. 624.316, F.S.; revising requirements for the periodic examination of insurers by the Office of Insurance Regulation of the Financial Services Commission; increasing the period between examinations for insurers that maintain a risk-based capital level of a specified percentage; creating s. 624.4087, F.S.; requiring property insurers to maintain surplus and reinsurance adequate to cover the 100-year probable maximum loss from hurricanes; providing requirements for determining the probable maximum loss; amending s. 624.424, F.S.; authorizing the office to require that an insurer submit an actuarial certification by an independent actuary; amending s. 628.801, F.S.; revising a reference with respect to registration requirements for insurance holding companies; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

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By the Committee on Banking and Insurance—

**SB 1806**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to employee leasing companies; amending s. 468.521, F.S.; revising the criteria for the appointment of members of the Board of Employee Leasing Companies; amending s. 468.525, F.S.; requiring that an applicant for a renewal license as an employee leasing company have a specified net worth; deleting provisions authorizing certain companies to submit financial statements that are reviewed rather than audited by a certified public accountant; amending s. 468.529, F.S.; requiring that an employee leasing company make certain information available to the Division of Workers' Compensation of the Department of Financial Services; providing an administrative fine for failure or refusal to submit the required reports, forms, or notices; amending s. 627.192, F.S.; requiring workers' compensation insurers providing coverage for employee leasing companies to provide certain information to the rating organization; requiring a report by the rating organization to the lessee; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Regulated Industries; and General Government Appropriations.

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By Senator Campbell—

**SB 1808**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of airports; amending s. 330.30, F.S.; prohibiting the Department of Transportation from renewing or reissuing licenses to certain general aviation airports that fail to develop a security plan; requiring that the plans be consistent with certain published guidelines; providing for review and approval of such plans by the Department of Law Enforcement; requiring periodic update of the plans; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Domestic Security.

By Senator Campbell—

**SB 1810**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records exemptions; creating s. 744.1076, F.S.; exempting from public records requirements certain court records relating to appointment of certain court monitors, reports of such monitors, and orders of a court; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing findings of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Rules and Calendar.

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By Senator Campbell—

**SB 1812**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pediatric skilled nursing facilities; providing a definition; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to implement a pilot project and develop criteria for designation as a pediatric skilled nursing facility; requiring that certain affiliations be established and providing purposes thereof; authorizing an appropriation; providing criteria for a nursing home to qualify as a pediatric skilled nursing facility; prohibiting expenditure of funds for certain purposes; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care; Children and Families; and Health and Human Services Appropriations.

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By Senator Baker—

**SB 1814**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to franchised motor vehicle dealers; amending s. 320.60, F.S.; revising the definition of “demonstrator”; defining “existing franchised motor vehicle dealer”; amending s. 320.64, F.S.; prohibiting applicant or licensee failure to pay certain costs and amounts to a dealer after termination of franchise; amending s. 320.641, F.S.; providing for admissibility of certain evidence in a hearing of a complaint or petition filed relating to discontinuations, cancellations, nonrenewals, modifications, or replacement of franchise agreements; amending s. 320.642, F.S.; revising criteria and procedures to establish an additional dealership or relocate an existing dealer in an area where the same line-make vehicle is presently represented; revising provisions excluding certain openings and reopenings from consideration as an additional or relocated motor vehicle dealer; limiting such openings and reopenings; requiring distance between sites to be measured from the geometric centroid of each site; amending s. 320.643, F.S.; exempting a transferee proposing to simultaneously relocate dealership operations in conjunction with the purchase from location requirements in the franchise agreement under certain circumstances; providing requirements for such proposals; amending s. 320.699, F.S.; revising procedures for administrative hearings; requiring a certain schedule unless extended by the administrative law judge under certain conditions; amending ss. 320.645, 681.102, and 681.113, F.S.; correcting cross references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Commerce and Consumer Services; Regulated Industries; Judiciary; and General Government Appropriations.

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By Senator Campbell—

**SB 1816**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle repairs; requiring collision centers, insurance claims centers, and insurance adjusters' offices to display a disclosure relating to the selection and ownership of repair facilities; requiring certain repair facilities to submit a report to the Office of Insurance Regulation; providing criteria for the report; requiring the office to maintain the information contained in the report; requiring the office to make such information available to appropriate substantive legislative committees; authorizing the office to penalize repair facilities; providing civil penalties; providing that no order of the office or court or holding of a hearing will relieve or absolve a person from liability, penalty, or forfeiture under law; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Transportation; Judiciary; and General Government Appropriations.

SR 1818—Not referenced.

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By Senator Klein—

**SB 1820**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to golf cart regulations; amending s. 316.212, F.S.; granting local jurisdictions the authority to enact ordinances governing the use of golf carts which are more restrictive than state law; amending s. 316.2126, F.S.; requiring that the use of golf carts upon any state, county, or municipal road located within a local jurisdiction be in compliance with local ordinances governing the use of golf carts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Community Affairs.

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By Senator Siplin—

**SB 1822**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to paintball guns and markers; defining the terms “paintball gun” and “paintball marker”; prohibiting a person from carrying a paintball gun or a paintball marker in a vehicle on the highway; providing specified exceptions; providing that the act does not apply to a commercial paintball field, range, or course operator when the operator transports passengers to and from designated player areas; providing that a person who violates the act commits a misdemeanor of the first degree; providing criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; and Criminal Justice.

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By Senator Smith—

**SB 1824**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state reserves; creating s. 258.166, F.S.; establishing the Rodman Reservoir State Reserve; directing the Division of Recreation and Parks of the Department of Environmental Protection to develop multipurpose recreational opportunities and provide supervision of the area; allowing public hunting; authorizing the Division of State Lands to acquire adjacent or contiguous property; requiring the Division of State Lands to notify persons having easements in the area; requiring a report; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Environmental Preservation; and General Government Appropriations.

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By Senator Constantine—

**SB 1826**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to property appraiser assessments; amending s. 193.023, F.S.; providing property appraisers with additional methods for inspecting real property for assessment purposes as an alternative to physical inspections; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; and Government Efficiency Appropriations.

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By Senator Wilson—

**SB 1828**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to access by legislators to confidential or exempt information of the Department of Children and Family Services; creating s. 402.117, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Family Services to share specified confidential or exempt information with any member of the Legislature when such information is reasonably necessary for the performance of the legislator's official duties; providing procedures with respect to requests for such information; providing for the adoption of rules by the department; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children and Families; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Argenziano—

**SB 1830**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to home inspection services; creating s. 501.935, F.S.; providing for licensure of persons providing home inspection services; providing legislative intent and definitions; providing standards of practice; creating the Florida Home Inspection Advisory Council; providing licensure requirements, including grandfathering provisions; providing exemptions; providing prohibited acts and penalties; providing for complaints and discipline; providing fees; requiring liability insurance; exempting from duty to provide repair cost estimates; providing for reciprocity; providing continuing education requirements; providing limitations; providing for enforcement of violations; providing an appropriation and authorizing positions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; and General Government Appropriations.

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By Senator Argenziano—

**SB 1832**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Corrections; amending s. 944.091, F.S.; authorizing the department to contract with the Federal Government to house prisoners convicted in federal courts in this state; specifying conditions to be included in, and to be excluded from, such contracts; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Criminal Justice; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Justice Appropriations.

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By Senator Siplin—

**SB 1834**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tourist development tax; amending s. 125.0104, F.S., the “Local Option Tourist Development Act”; revising the permissible uses of proceeds from the tax; allowing a specified percentage of the tax proceeds to be used for economic development activities in the county; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Commerce and Consumer Services; Community Affairs; Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations.

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By Senator Argenziano—

**SB 1836**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to assisted living facilities; requesting the Division of Statutory Revision to transfer provisions relating to assisted living facilities from part III of ch. 400, F.S., to ch. 429, F.S., and to make necessary conforming changes to the Florida Statutes; designating ch. 429, F.S., as “Assisted Care Communities”; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children and Families; and Health Care.

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By Senator Constantine—

**SB 1838**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to construction contracting; amending s. 489.117, F.S.; specifying when a person may perform specialty contracting services for the construction, remodeling, repair, or improvement of a swimming pool or spa without obtaining a local professional license; requiring certain local authorities to allow local registration, as specified, as an alternative to other local licenses; authorizing a fee; requiring workers' compensation coverage or an exemption therefrom; providing applicability to certain other local licensing exemption provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Regulated Industries; Community Affairs; and Banking and Insurance.

By Senator Constantine—

**SB 1840**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the transportation disadvantaged; amending s. 427.012, F.S.; revising the composition of the board of the Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged; providing for 15 board members with nine members appointed by the Governor; providing for a member to be appointed to a term of 4 years and limiting the member to two terms; providing criteria for membership on the commission relating to contracts and benefits; providing for filling a vacancy; prohibiting a member from serving more than 2 years as chairperson of the commission; requiring each member to represent the needs of the transportation disadvantaged throughout the state and not subordinate the needs of the transportation disadvantaged in general to favor the needs of others residing in a specific location in the state; authorizing the commission to appoint technical advisory committees; providing for the membership and duties of the technical advisory committees; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Aronberg—

**SB 1842**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pharmaceutical purchasing practices; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration and the Department of Management Services to conduct studies related to pharmaceutical purchasing practices; providing purpose; requiring a report to the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Health Care; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; and Health and Human Services Appropriations.

By Senator Wilson—

**SB 1844**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to school-entry health and vision examinations; amending s. 1003.22, F.S.; requiring children who enter public or private schools in the state to present evidence of having received a comprehensive vision examination; providing an exemption; amending ss. 1002.20 and 1002.42, F.S.; conforming provisions; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Health Care; and Education Appropriations.

By Senator Wilson—

**SB 1846**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to required instruction in the public schools; amending s. 1003.42, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the development and adoption of character-development curricula by district school boards; revising components of the curricula; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; and Education Appropriations.

By Senator Bennett—

**SB 1848**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to student safety; providing a short title; providing legislative findings; providing that this section does not limit other rights or responsibilities; defining the term “harassment”; providing that this section does not limit certain specific rights; requiring each school district to adopt a policy prohibiting discrimination and harassment on school property, at a school-sponsored function, or on a school bus; providing minimum requirements for the contents of the policy; requiring the State Board of Education to develop and issue model policies; requiring notice of a school district’s policy; requiring educational institutions to develop and put into effect methods for instructing teachers, administrators, and counselors in identifying, preventing, and responding to harassment, discrimination, and violence;

providing applicability; providing severability; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Education; Judiciary; and Education Appropriations.

By Senator Peadar—

**SB 1850**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to outdoor advertising; amending s. 479.106, F.S.; prohibiting the planting of trees or other vegetation that screens a sign from view; requiring enforcement of the prohibition by the Department of Transportation; providing that a violation constitutes a removal of the sign for which just compensation is required; amending s. 479.25, F.S.; authorizing the owner of a sign to increase the height of the sign under certain circumstances; deleting a requirement that certain signs be approved by the Federal Highway Administration; requiring that a reconstructed sign be in compliance with the Florida Building Code; requiring the department and local governmental entity to issue permits for such reconstruction, notwithstanding rules or ordinances to the contrary; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Transportation; Community Affairs; and Judiciary.

By Senator Wise—

**SB 1852**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to specialty behavioral health care providers; amending s. 394.4574, F.S.; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to establish a demonstration project in certain counties in order to determine the benefits of developing a specialty behavioral health care provider to deliver behavioral health services to persons who reside in an assisted living facility that holds a limited mental health license; authorizing the agency to create an advisory committee; defining the term “specialty behavioral health care provider”; providing the requirements for the specialty behavioral health care provider demonstration project; providing that certain specialty behavioral health care providers may seek and develop cooperative agreements with administrators of certain assisted living facilities; authorizing the agency to seek federal waivers to implement an alternative prepaid behavioral health care plan under certain conditions; authorizing the agency to implement the demonstration project and the advisory committee to complete work; providing for an independent evaluation; requiring that a report be submitted to the Legislature; authorizing the agency to seek a waiver or approval for an amendment to a waiver for the purpose of addressing needs of individuals who reside in certain assisted living facilities; requiring the agency to establish a workgroup for the purpose of preparing an amendment to a waiver; providing requirements for the amendment; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to conduct an evaluation; requiring the agency to implement the waiver amendment; prohibiting the waiver amendment from increasing costs to the Medicaid program; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Children and Families; Health Care; and Health and Human Services Appropriations.

By Senator Constantine—

**SB 1854**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the electronic submission of an application for a local building permit; amending s. 713.135, F.S.; authorizing the county or municipality responsible for the issuance of certain building permits to accept applications that are transmitted electronically; providing for the format of an electronic application; providing for an electronic affidavit by the owner applying for the permit; providing penalties for knowingly making a false statement in the affidavit; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Community Affairs; Regulated Industries; Criminal Justice; and Justice Appropriations.

By Senator Villalobos—

**SB 1856**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Commission on Ethics; amending s. 112.321, F.S.; prohibiting an individual who qualifies as a lobbyist from serving on the commission; prohibiting a member of the commission from lobbying any state or local governmental entity; providing exceptions for individuals who are members of the commission on the effective date of the act until the expiration of their current terms; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Villalobos—

**SB 1858**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to standards of conduct for public officers; amending s. 112.313, F.S.; prohibiting members of the Board of Governors of the State University System and members of a board of trustees of a local constituent university from representing principals before the Legislature; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Education; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Dockery—

**SB 1860**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to initiatives; amending s. 100.371, F.S.; providing that violation of the section invalidates any petition form on which signatures were obtained through the violation; prohibiting counting any such signature to determine number and distribution; providing that supervisors of elections are responsible for enforcing provisions relating to submission and verification and that the Secretary of State is otherwise responsible for enforcing the section; providing that signatures gathered by a paid gatherer will not count if the gatherer's name and address do not appear on the form; requiring proposed amendments or revisions proposed by the Legislature to be reviewed by the Financial Impact Estimating Conference; adding principals to the conference for initiative proposals; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; and Ways and Means.

## COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

### FIRST READING

By the Committee on Health Care; and Senator Saunders—

**CS for SB 118**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the regulation of massage therapy; amending s. 480.034, F.S.; exempting certain settings where massage therapy is rendered from the licensure and inspection requirements for massage establishments; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senators Campbell and Fasano—

**CS for SB 192**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to advertising for legal services; creating s. 454.37, F.S., relating to advertising for legal services in print or electronic media; requiring an affidavit certifying certain information to accompany an advertisement for legal services submitted by an attorney licensed in this state or by a legal plan, organization, or association composed of lawyers licensed in this state and located in this state; requiring other advertisements for legal services to include certain statements; requiring that such advertisements be accompanied by a sworn statement certifying that the advertisement complies with the standards required for advertisements placed by lawyers licensed in this state; providing for civil penalties and for enforcement; requiring publishers of advertisements to send a copy of the advertisement and accompanying document to The Florida Bar and retain certain copies for a specified period; providing an exemption for certain advertisements; providing that false, deceptive, or misleading advertising of legal services is an unfair and deceptive trade practice; specifying that

these provisions are cumulative; defining the term “electronic media”; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Care; and Senators Peaden, Wise and Fasano—

**CS for SB 366**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to health care practitioners; amending s. 456.072, F.S.; providing that a health care practitioner's failure to comply with the terms of a monitoring or treatment program for impaired practitioners or failure to complete any drug-treatment or alcohol-treatment program is an additional ground under which the practitioner is subject to discipline by the Department of Health or the board having jurisdiction over the practitioner; reenacting ss. 457.109(2), 458.331(2), 459.015(2), 460.413(2), 461.013(2), 462.14(2), 463.016(2), 464.018(2), 465.016(2), 466.028(2), 467.203(2), 468.1295(2), 468.1755(1)(a) and (2), 468.217(2), 468.365(2), 468.518(2), 468.719(2), 468.811(2), 478.52(2), 480.046(2), 483.825(2), 483.901(6)(h), 484.014(2), 484.056(1)(a) and (2)(a), 486.125(2), 490.009(2), and 491.009(2), F.S., relating to health care practice acts and similar regulatory provisions, to incorporate the amendment to s. 456.072, F.S., in references thereto; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senators Bennett and Crist—

**CS for SB 492**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to wrecker operators; amending s. 319.30, F.S.; redefining the term “certificate of destruction,” to conform; amending s. 323.001, F.S.; revising certain towing and storage rates; amending s. 713.78, F.S.; conforming provisions related to recovering, towing, or storing vessels; providing for attorney's fees; creating s. 713.785, F.S.; authorizing the imposition of lien by a mobile home transport company for recovering, towing, or storing a mobile home; providing definitions; requiring a mobile home transport company to provide notice of recovery, towing, or storage services; providing for the filing of a complaint; providing procedures for the sale of an unclaimed mobile home; specifying circumstances under which a mobile home transport company must obtain a certificate of destruction; providing for fees; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing for fees; providing for issuing certificates of destruction and revalidation stickers; providing procedures for disputing a lien and for discharge of a lien; providing for the posting and repayment of surety; providing for criminal penalties; amending s. 715.07, F.S.; conforming provisions related to towing vessels parked on private property; imposing criminal penalties for failure to comply with certain laws governing the towing of vehicles and vessels; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Health Care; and Senator Lynn—

**CS for SB 690**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to immunizations; prohibiting vaccinating a woman who is knowingly pregnant or a child who is younger than a specified age with a vaccine that contains any mercury or injecting such a woman or child with a product that contains more than a specified amount of mercury; prohibiting vaccinating a woman who is knowingly pregnant or a child under a specified age with an influenza vaccine that contains more than a specified amount of mercury; providing the effective date of such prohibitions; providing for the State Health Officer to authorize the use of vaccines that contain a greater amount of mercury than is otherwise allowed if the Secretary of Health declares a public health emergency and makes certain findings; providing exceptions to the prohibition following disclosure regarding certain risks and benefits; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Government Efficiency Appropriations; and Senator Alexander—

**CS for SB 1244**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the tax on gross receipts for utility services; amending s. 203.01, F.S.; providing for a tax on utility services delivered to a retail consumer in this state; providing for a tax on the gross receipts of a distribution company providing delivery of electricity to a retail consumer, based on an index price; providing for an annual calculation of the index price; providing for a tax reduction by refund for a like tax paid to another jurisdiction;

providing for a tax on the gross receipts of a distribution company providing for the sale or transportation of natural gas or manufactured gas to a retail consumer, based on an index price; providing for an annual calculation of the index price; providing for a tax reduction by refund for similar taxes paid to another jurisdiction; providing for a tax on the cost price of electricity, natural gas, or manufactured gas to be paid by any person who causes these products to be severed or imported into the state for that person's own use; revising obsolete provisions; providing that the tax does not apply to certain sales, transportation, delivery, or uses; providing that a written certificate of entitlement to the exclusion from tax for persons eligible for an exemption under s. 212.08(7)(ff)2., F.S., relieves the seller or person providing transportation or delivery from responsibility of remitting tax; requiring any person who transports natural or manufactured gas to furnish a list of customers to the Department of Revenue; amending s. 203.012, F.S.; redefining the term "utility service"; defining the term "distribution company"; authorizing the executive director of the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules to implement the act; providing an amnesty for unpaid gross receipts tax, penalties, and interest on unpaid gross receipts tax otherwise due for selling natural gas in this state; providing conditions for the amnesty; providing limitations for the amnesty; authorizing the executive director of the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules to implement the amnesty; providing an effective date.

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By the Committee on Health Care; and Senator Peadar—

**CS for SB 1472**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to hospitals; amending s. 395.002, F.S.; redefining the term "hospital" to exclude

designated critical access hospitals from certain requirements; amending s. 395.003, F.S.; extending by 1 year the moratorium on approving additional emergency departments located off the premises of a licensed hospital; amending s. 408.061, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 408.07, F.S.; defining the term "critical access hospital"; redefining the term "rural hospital" to delete certain requirements applicable to the designation of a critical access hospital; amending ss. 458.345 and 459.021, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

## CO-INTRODUCERS

Senators Atwater—SJR 4, SJR 6, SB 318, SB 1572; Baker—SB 1374, SB 1714; Campbell—SB 1714; Fasano—SB 958; King—SB 1714; Lawson—SB 992; Lynn—SB 1090; Miller—SB 1460, SB 1512; Posey—SB 550; Rich—SB 1880

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